IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

BOX PATENT APPLICATION

The Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, Virginia 22313-1450

Sir:

Transmitted herewith for filing is a **new utility** patent application of: Yen Sheng CHANG

Title of Invention: METHOD FOR COMPUTER BOOTING VIA USING A MOTHERBOARD COMBINED WITH FINGERPRINT RECOGNITION MODULE AND APPARATUS FOR THE SAME

Enclosed are:

A specification and 28 claims.

A Combined Declaration and Appointment of Attorney

Assignment to: GIGA-BYTE TECHNOLOGY CO., LTD.

The filing fee has been calculated as shown below:

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			RATE FEE	RATE FEE
BASIC FEE		•	<u> \$385.00</u>	\$770.00
TOTAL CLAIMS	28 -20 =	8	\$ 9	\$18. \$144
INDEP CLAIMS	3 - 3 =	0	\$ 43	\$86
MULTIPLE	DEPENDENT CL	AIMS	\$145.	\$290.
		TOTAL		\$914.00

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- The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees associated with this communication, including patent application filing fees and processing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 and 37 CFR 1.17 or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 501874.

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